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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Application No. 10/648,786; Filed: August 27, 2003
For: **Death Domain Containing Receptor 4 Antibodies And Methods (As Amended)**
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Online Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the two (2) month extension of time fee (large entity);
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) (Form PTO/SB/22);
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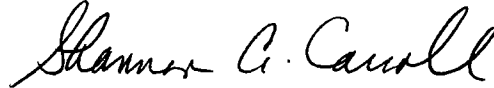
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